

## GONE TO HER REWARD

**Mrs. Fannie Browning, Who Was  
the Wife of Mr. Rollin Brown-  
ing, Passes over the Silent  
River.**

**MANY FRIENDS ATTENDED THE FUNERAL.**

The passing of Mrs. Fannie Browning, the devoted wife of Mr. Rollin Browning, brought sorrow to this community, though it was known that her malady was incurable. The end came last Saturday afternoon in the presence of her loved ones, and when the veil was drawn the scene was heart-rending.

She was the loving mother of two bright children, a son and a daughter, who but recently realized that the pilgrimage of their mother was close to the end, and though they are quite young, it is said they were often seen about the home, sitting, with their arms around each other, talking of the suffering of their dear mother and lamenting that they were helpless, could do nothing to bring about relief. It was a sad picture, and every heart in Columbia feels for the dear children.

Mrs. Browning was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Stults, and was born in Adair county about thirty-two years ago. She was married to Mr. Rollin Browning about twelve years ago.

Six or eight years ago her health began to fail, and at times she seemed to be improving, but the seed of the disease had been deeply sown, and gradually her vitality failed until death came.

For several years her husband has neglected his business and watched faithfully by the bedside of his companion, doing every thing in his power to bring sunshine into her life.

The funeral services were held in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. S. Chandler. There were many relatives and friends who gathered to pay their last respects to a lovable young woman and to drop the tear of sympathy for those who had been so sorely bereft. The interment was in the city cemetery.

May a loving God comfort the sorrowing husband, the dear little children, the affectionate father and mother and the brothers and sisters. There were many beautiful floral designs.

### A Home Wedding.

Last Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, Miss Mary Garnett, a popular and highly respected young lady, a daughter of Mr. H. B. Garnett, and Mr. Bascom Dohoney, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dohoney, one of Adair's best young men, were married at the home of the bride's father, the ceremony being solemnly pronounced by Rev. J. S. Chandler, pastor of the Methodist Church, this city. The attendants were Miss Stella Garnett and Mr. Doc Walker.

Immediately after the ceremony the wedding party and a few special friends left for the home of the groom's parents where they were happily received and where a very sumptuous and delightful repast awaited them.

The bride has been a very popular teacher, and the groom is a successful young farmer. The couple enjoys the distinction of having many warm, personal friends, all of whom extend their very best wishes.

Mrs. John A. Mitchell, whose home was near Greensburg, died last Thursday night at 1 o'clock. She was a lady highly respected and her death is deeply deplored. Besides her husband she leaves a family of sons and daughters, who have the sympathy of every one who knew the life of their godly mother.

Nelson Fitzpatrick, an old colored man, who was a charge on the county, died at Cane Valley last Thursday. He was said to be one hundred years old.

### The New Game Law.

The open season for shooting quail and rabbits ended January 1st. Likewise all hunting licenses issued during the year 1914 expired December 31 and a new license must be taken out for 1915 before the hunter can shoulder his gun and enter the fields and woods for the killing of such game as the law permits to be hunted.

Rabbits may be snared or caught after January 1st, but the shooting of rabbits is forbidden until November 15th under heavy penalty.

Under the law squirrels may be killed until September 1st. Between that date and November 15th, under heavy penalty.

It is unlawful under the law to kill doves between February 1st and August 1st.

### What's Doing Among Politicians.

In The Louisville Times the following statement was made:

"BAL" TRIGG'S HAT IN RING.

R. Ballard Trigg, of Glasgow, who has been an avowed aspirant for State Senator in the Nineteenth district, Barren, Metcalf and Adair counties, has formally "cut in" for the Democratic nomination. It was largely due to the efforts of "Bal" Trigg that the Nineteenth senatorial district was made reliably Democratic by the last Legislature, substituting Adair for Monroe county in its makeup. He worked hard to get this piece of legislature through.

### Mr. Eli Grant Dead.

Last Thursday the subject of this notice died at his late home, near Glenview, this county. The deceased was born and reared in the community where he died, and from his youth possessed a character that met the approbation of all good citizens. Mr. Grant was close to seventy years of age. For a long time he had been in delicate health. He was never married.

He was buried near where he died, many relatives and friends being in attendance.

### For Sale.

Barred Plymouth Rock Eggs. 50cts for setting of 15.

H. N. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim B. Cravens will leave in a few days for Tompkinsville where they will take up their residence. Mr. Cravens was born and reared in Columbia, and for a number of years has been engaged in the insurance business. Mrs. Cravens is a native of Tompkinsville where her parents reside. She is a most excellent lady and her Columbia friends will regret her departure. Mr. Cravens is well-known throughout the county. He has a host of friends who wish him and his estimable wife success in the business that will engage the husband's attention when they reach Tompkinsville.

### Reward.

\$5.00 reward to the finder of my watch, lost January 10.

Mary Lucy Lowe.

### Basket Ball Game.

**Eastern Kentucky State Normal, vs Lindsey Wilson Training School. The game that was played on their floor was a struggle and this promises to be a close contest. Every body come Thursday night. Admission 25c. 16lt**

### Notice.

Clothes cleaned and pressed 40cts. Pressed 25c. Delphus Taylor. 16-2t

Born to the wife of Walter Chapman, January 29, 1915, a son.

Mr. Tim B. Cravens has sold his insurance business to Mr. M. C. Wilson, and Mr. Cravens will continue the work for the companies.

### Returned to the Penitentiary.

Last October a man named Harvey Helm was paroled from the Frankfort penitentiary, agreeing to give him work. He went to Danville, entered upon the discharge of his duties, but becoming dissatisfied he left his job and drifted into Russell county where he broke into a store, was arrested and lodged in jail.

Thursday afternoon Mr. E. C. Page, who is a guard at the penitentiary, reached here, en route for Jamestown, where the prisoner was delivered to him and who returned him to the penitentiary on Saturday. If we are correctly informed, Helm will have to do extra time for breaking his parole.

Miss Minnie Triplett is the promoter of a little enterprise that will afford a great deal of pleasure to the readers of Columbia. She conceived the idea that a library was very much needed in the community, and for the past week she has been taking subscriptions at \$1.00 each, and she has secured about sixty names and other names continue to come in. Each subscriber, who pays one dollar, becomes a member, and the books will be selected and ordered in a few days, the very best literature known. Every body is asked to join. If you are not called upon, see J. W. Flowers at Bank and leave your dollar. The enterprise will be known as the Columbia Library, and each member will be allowed to keep a book four days before returning. The library will be at Dr. Jas. Triplett's office.

### Reduction Sale on Overalls.

On best Brands of overalls and jackets for the next 20 days, in order to give this brand a start:

Regular \$1.10 brand pants now .98.  
" \$1.00 brand pants now .88.  
" \$1.10 jackets now .98.  
" \$1.00 brand jackets .88.

These are the Red Diamond Brand of overalls, Best on the market. Also the Flyer \$1.00 brand at .85. 15-2t. Garrison Bros.

### Doctors Differ.

We know Diagnosis  
To prognose were quick  
Were death on diseases  
When not on the sick.  
When pellagra plagues you,  
I'll tell you the trick  
For biting of corn cake,  
Bed bugs or a tick.

Though some of us differ,  
While (suckers are sick),  
Druggists may doubt it  
And doctors will kick,  
The stars may all tumble  
To my doctrine I'll stick,  
For a pure panacea  
Repair to Sand Lick.  
Dr. J. T. Jones.

Mr. Jo Ed Flowers had the misfortune to get his little finger, on his right hand, terribly lacerated last Thursday. He was at work at Sandusky Bros' planing mill, getting his finger caught in a piece of machinery.

### Russell Circuit Court.

The winter term of the Russell circuit court commenced at Jamestown Monday morning. Notwithstanding the roads are miserably bad, a fair crowd was on the square by the noon hour. Judge Carter arrived in due time to organize the court, and immediately after the dinner hour the mill commenced to grand, A. A. Huddleston, Commonwealth's Attorney, being at his post.

There are a large number of misdemeanor cases docketed and several felony charges. John Davidson, who recently killed Felix Long, and who is in jail, will be indicted this week, but it is not likely that he will be tried at this term of court. The business of the Court will probably require the full term, two weeks.

By drawing a steeple, a thief entered the store of Mr. J. T. Jones, last Wednesday night, stealing a watch and a ring. Mr. Jones was in the store at the time, taking advantage of his absence.

### Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

The Y. M. C. A., gospel team, of Lindsey-Wilson, will conduct services at the following churches in town:

At the Christian church, morning 10:45, Mr. S. R. Duvall, Rev. D. L. Vance.

At the Baptist church, morning 10:45, Mr. Joe Calhoun, Rev. J. Marvin Perryman.

At the Presbyterian church will be a union service at 6:45 p. m. Mr. Guy Stephenson, Rev. J. A. Vire and others. Further announcement, will appear in next week's issue.

### Not a Candidate.

Columbia, Ky., Feb. 15, 1915.  
Editor News:

In reply to a question that is asked me every day—"will you be a candidate for the Legislature?" I desire to say that, with my business affairs demanding my constant attention, and the added responsibility of settling the estate of Frank Sinclair on my hands, I deem it unwise for me to "throw my hat in the ring" at this time.

In making this announcement, I desire to express my sincerest gratitude to my friends of all political parties, who have so earnestly solicited me to become a candidate, and have so generously offered me their support. I appreciate their kindness more than I can here express, and in closing I want the Republicans of Adair Co., to nominate some good competent man for Representative.

Some very important legislation affecting the moral and financial welfare of Kentucky will be up for consideration before the next General Assembly.

Very truly,  
J. O. Russell.

### Business Meeting at Baptist Church.

Wednesday night, Feb. 17th, is the time for the regular business meeting at the Baptist church. We urge all members to be present. Besides the regular business, there will be some special matter to claim our attention. O. P. Bush, Pastor.

### Notice.

The Adair County Road Co., will lower their gates on the pike on Feb. 22, 1915, and begin collecting toll.

### Greensburg Loose Leaf House.

Under the heaviest offerings of the history of the warehouse, our market has been strong and active on burley and Dark with the best averages of the season. We urge you to use strict caution in getting your tobacco in good order and, to bring your tobacco on at once. Buyers are discriminating against soft ordered tobacco, as the reordering season is at hand and tobacco is wanted in bone dry order and if it not so the price will be cut in proportion to order. You will also add much to the value of your tobacco by properly grading at home, not only so but will save much time when you get to market. We have received a number of letters from a distance asking us to hold open our market until the middle of March, because the roads have prevented their getting to market and we have decided to do this, but we want to emphasize the importance of getting here at the very earliest moment, as the indications are the Trusts might cease buying. We ship baskets to any R. R. point in Taylor Co., Freight prepaid to any customer who wants to ship. This proposition is effective Monday Feb. 15th and after that date till season closes.

Thanking you for your patronage and assuring you our best efforts will be put forth to get best prices, We are,  
Yours most truly,  
Greensburg Loose Leaf House.

Colvin Hutchison, on Feb. 14, a son.

### A High Classed Entertainment.

"The Famous Tramps Convention" will be given Saturday night, at 7.30 o'clock, February 27, at the courthouse, by the Lindsey-Wilson troop. It is for the purpose of getting chairs and a table for the new Y. M. C. A., Hall. They have been practicing on this for the last few weeks. If you want to see a real tramp convention don't miss it. There will be seventeen characters in the play. It is for a good cause and they should have a crowded house.

### Basket Ball Game.

**Eastern Kentucky State Normal, vs Lindsey Wilson Training School, Thursday night. The game that was played on their floor was a hard struggle and this one promises to be a close contest. Every body come admission 25c. 16lt.**

The highest percentage of attendance made by any teacher in Adair county this year, was made by Miss Verna Todd at Rocky Hill school, Dist. No. 14. Her average daily attendance for the term was 79.17 of the census. For this superior attendance her salary has been raised from \$38.25 per month to \$40.00.

### Insurance.

W. B. Patteson, general Insurance, second floor Jeffries building, Columbia, Ky., an independent agency representing some of America's leading Companies that are not in any way connected with any Bank or rebating agency, your business is respectfully solicited and a square deal and courteous treatment is guaranteed to each and every patron. Respectfully,  
W. B. Patteson

Rev. C. Conner Brown, of Louisville, Synodical Evangelist of the Presbyterian Church, will preach at Union, in this county, next Sunday morning, and in town at night. Mr. Brown is a very popular preacher and has met with great success in his work. He should have a large audience at each place.

Rev. R. V. Chapin, of Junction City occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church, in this place, last Sunday morning and evening, and made a very favorable impression on those who had the pleasure of hearing him and he was greeted by a representative Columbia audience. We learn that there is a probability that his services may be secured by the congregation of that church to fill the vacancy which has existed for some time. We trust the arrangement can be perfected by which we may have him in our midst.

I would like to buy a small farm of 15 or 20 acres, within 4 or 5 miles of town. It must be good and fertile land. Al Sinclair, Columbia, Ky.

I have balled hay for sale at my mill.  
J. W. Walker.

### Notice.

W. H. Wilson has opened a feed stable at the W. H. Go't stand and solicits your patronage.

I have several choice fruit trees, that I will sell at greatly reduced prices if taken at once. Both early and late varieties, Apples, Peaches and Pears. Call at News Office.

Ernest Harris.

Our readers will remember that some time ago, Zelma Young, a white girl was murdered in her room, at the home of her parents, in Danville, and until now the murder has been clothed in mystery. Last week John Walker, of color, was arrested at Logan, West Virginia, charged with the crime. The dispatch stated that a short time after his arrest, he confessed, stating that he was the murderer of the Danville girl. It was remembered that the girl's body was found in a room in the house, and it was reported that he had been in the room which led to his capture.



## Eulogy to a Dog.

BY

THE LATE SENATOR GEO. G. VEST.

Gentlemen of the Jury: The best friend a man has in this world may turn against him and become his enemy. His son or daughter that he has reared with loving care may prove ungrateful. Those who are nearest and dearest to us, those whom we trust with our happiness and our good name, may become traitors to their faith.

The money that a man has he may lose. It flies away from him, perhaps when he needs it most.

The people who are prone to fall on their knees to do us honor when success is with us may be the first to throw the stone of malice when failure settles its cloud upon our heads.

The one absolutely unselfish friend a man can have in this selfish world, the one that never deserts him, the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous, is his dog.

Gentlemen of the Jury, a man's dog stands by him in prosperity and poverty, in health and in sickness.

He will sleep on the cold ground, where the wintry winds blow and the snow drives fiercely, if only he may be near his master's side.

He will kiss the hand that has fed him; he will lick the wounds and sores that come in encounter with the roughness of the world.

He guards the sheep of his pauper master as if he were a prince.

When all other friends desert he remains. When riches take wings and reputation falls to pieces he is as constant in his love as the sun in its journey through the heavens.

If fortune drives the master forth an outcast in the world, friendless and homeless, the faithful dog asks no higher privilege than to accompany him to guard against danger, to fight against his enemies.

When the last scene comes, and death takes the master in its embrace and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, there by his graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws, his eyes sad but open in alert watchfulness, faithful and true even to death.

## What Is the Best Remedy For Constipation?

This is a question asked us many times each day. The answer is

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## Inroad.

## Editor News:

If you will allow me space in your paper I will write a few lines, thinking perhaps some of my little friends would like to read a letter from me. I am a little girl only 13 years old. This is my first attempt to write to our dear paper. I read a letter in the News last week from one of my little cousins and I liked it fine. I have only one pet and that is a little sorrel colt. I take great pride in trying to train and ride my colt, but haven't got but one good ride yet. I will bring my short letter to a close. From a little girl, Myrtle Bloyd.

## How Mr. Davis Got Rid of a Bad Cough.

"Some time ago I had a very bad cough," writes Lewis T. Davis, Blackwater, Del. "My brother McCabe Davis gave me a small bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. After taking this I bought half a dozen bottles of it but only used one of them as the cough left me and I have not been troubled since." Obtainable everywhere. Paull Drug Co. Adv.

## Cane Valley.

Messrs. Willie Van Hoy and Bun Rice were in Louisville last week selling their tobacco.

Mrs. Ed Hancock, who has been confined to her bed for the past month, is not improving much. She has always been kind and obliging to the sick and ready with a helping hand to the needy and we would be glad to see her up again.

Bun Rice has let a contract with D. H. Beard and J. C. Sublett to build a new residence on the land he bought of Will Van-Hoy, last week.

Mr. Bram Beard will leave this week for McKinney, Texas, to make that his future home. Mr. Beard has made two trips to Texas and he is better pleased with that climate.

Miss Clarice Stotts is getting along nicely with her school at this place.

Judd Bros., are building a nice residence for John Eubank at Coburg. Mr. Eubank lost his residence by fire two months ago.

Aunt Sallie Banks celebrated her 76 birthday last Friday. Several of her old friends called to see and were all made happy to see her getting around so nice.

A was delighted to see a letter from an old friend Luther Wilmore, in The News last week. The News is so nice to give us space to write to our dear old friends. During the big snow in 1886, I lived in Gradyville near Mr. Wilmore. Since that time many of our dear ones have passed over on the other side.

## Do You Find Fault With Everybody?

An irritable, fault-finding disposition is often due to a disordered stomach. A man with good digestion is nearly always good natured. A great many have been permanently benefited by Chamberlain's Tablets after years of suffering. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere. For sale by Paull Drug Co. Adv.

## Bridal Pair Found Dead.

A romance of a year, and a wedded life of less than two weeks was brought to an end when George A. Gasser and his bride ended their lives in the home of his mother in Chicago. Clapsed in one another's arms the pair were found by the mother of the young man. On the young man's breast lay a note which indicated the act was the result of careful consideration and was planned soon after the wedding.

Gasser was a substitute mail clerk. His bride, formerly Miss Sylvia Ebersold, aged 19, was a grandniece of the former chief of police of Chicago, and was a mail filing clerk.

## Has Used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for 29 Years.

"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in my household for the past twenty years. I began giving it to my children when they were small. As a quick relief for croup, whooping cough and ordinary colds, it has no equal. Being free from opium and other harmful drugs I never felt afraid to give it to the children. I have recommended it to a large number of friends and neighbors, who have used it and speak highly of it," writes Mrs. Mary Minke, Shortsville, N. Y. For sale by Paull Drug Co. Adv.

## Commissioner's Sale.

## ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

Matilda Holt Plff. vs. Fannie Cheatham & Dft.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January term, thereof, 1915, in the above cause, for the sum of \$32 30-100, with the interest at the rate of 6 per cent., per annum from the 5th day of May 1914, until paid, and \$44 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Monday, the 1st day of March, 1915, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: A certain lot of land with buildings thereon, situated in Adair County, Ky., near Columbia, and bounded as follows: On the North and East by the lands of J. T. Page, on the South by the lands of Mrs. C. B. Taylor, and on the West by the lands of William Wade, containing two acres more or less. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

The Central City Deposit Bank with \$40,000 capital, closed its doors, owing to the mining depression in Muhlenberg county.

## It Really Does Relieve Rheumatism.

Everybody who is afflicted with Rheumatism in any form should by all means keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment on hand. The minute you feel pain or soreness in a joint or muscle, bathe it with Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub it. Sloan's penetrates almost immediately right to the seat of pain, relieving the hot, tender, swollen feeling and making the part easy and comfortable. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against Colds, Sore and Swollen Joints, Lumbago, Sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief. Buy a bottle today. Paull Drug Co. Adv.

## Bowels are Basis of Child Health

The careful mother, who watches closely the physical peculiarities of her children, will soon discover that the most important thing in connection with a child's constant good health is to keep his bowels regularly open. Sluggish bowels will be followed by loss of appetite, restlessness during sleep, irritability and a dozen and one similar evidences of physical disorder.

At the first sign of such disorder give the child a teaspoonful of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at night on retiring and repeat the dose the following night if necessary—more than that will scarcely be needed. You will find that the child will recover its accustomed good spirits at once and will eat and sleep normally.

This remedy is a vast improvement over salts, cathartics, laxative waters and similar things, which are altogether

too powerful for a child. The homes of Mrs. Carrie McDonald, 1026 Trigg Ave., Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. Sallie E. Griffith, Veechdale, Ky., are always supplied with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and with them, as with thousands of others, there is no substitute for this grand laxative. It is really more than a laxative, for it contains superior tonic properties which help to tone and strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels so that after a brief use of it all laxatives can be dispensed with and nature will do its own work.

Anyone wishing to make a trial of this remedy before buying it in the regular way of a druggist at fifty cents or one dollar a large bottle (family size) can have a sample bottle sent to the home free of charge by simply addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 405 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. Your name and address on a postal card will do.

## Town Sold for Doliar.

The town of Bulger, Colo., has been sold for the cash consideration of \$1. H. M. Aylesworth, the purchaser, will plant oats on the main street and will build a corral on the site of the Bulger hotel. The ornamental street lighting system of the town will be left intact.

Bulger was founded three years ago by Col. James Bulger, soldier of fortune. The town site was in Larimer county adjoining the tracks of the Colorado and Southern railroad. The decline of Bulger as a municipality came when the railroad raised its right of way and left the town 15 feet below the tracks. At that time the sponsor and father of the town deserted his holdings.

## Colds are often Most Serious Stop Possible Complication.

The disregard of a Cold has often brought many a regret. The fact of Sneezing, Coughing, or a Fever should be warning enough that your system needs immediate attention. Certainly Loss of Sleep is most serious. It is a warning given by Nature. It is man's duty to himself to assist by doing his part. Dr. King's New Discovery is based on a scientific analysis of Colds. 50c. at your Druggist. Buy a bottle today at Paull Drug Co. Ad.

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W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

E. T. Franks, of Owensboro, issued a statement declaring that he will not seek the Republican nomination for Governor.

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## Homes for the Belgians.

A plan to settle communities of Belgian refugees in the United States has been presented to the American government by Dugald McFadyen and the two houses of Congress will be urged to so modify the immigration laws as to permit carrying out of the plan.

"It must be evident to people of America that at present Belgian relief is only postponing from day to day the pressure of starvation," declared McFadyen.

"There are in the Southern States, in the West, and in Canada considerable tracts of land which might be used for Belgian settlements. The situation is one without precedent in history. There is no parallel showing what should be done with a population of 1,500,000 suddenly divorced from its home, its work and its means of livelihood."

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## Rat Went Through War.

Perhaps the only rat on record that ever went through a military campaign, ensconced snugly in its soldier owner's pocket, at the battle of Mons, the Marne and the Aisne, is now in London in the possession of Sergt. Johnson, of the Royal Field artillery. Johnson was wounded at Soissons and is on a few day's leave.

"Billy," as Johnson calls his rat, though the latter is a lady, is pure white, and was given, to the English soldier by a French girl at the beginning of the war. During the battle of Mons, the rat sat on her master's right boot. Twice she wandered away but came back all right and was in the fighting all the way from Mons to Melum, southeast of Paris, and back to the Marne and the Aisne. Billy was in Sergt. Johnson's pocket all the time and was never hurt. When the soldier landed at Southampton, after he had been wounded by shrapnel, a lady who saw the white rat, presented to Johnson a black terrier pup named Toby to keep Billy company. The rat and pup are now close friends.

The State-wide prohibition measure was signed by the Governor of Arkansas, making the sixteenth State under this statute.

A Somerset minister was fined \$50 for making uncomplimentary remarks about a member of his congregation who brought a pebble to church.

## Odd Things the world Over.

Breadboards can be bleached with lemon juice, followed by a washing with cold water and drying in the sun.

What is said to be the largest tree trunk in the world, measuring 145 feet in girth, is at Mixtla, Mexico.

Metal armor in the form of a spiral ribbon, surrounds a new type of hose to protect it and prevent it kinking.

More than one-third of Australia's residents live in four cities, Sydney, Adelaide, Melbourne and Brisbane.

A long-handled hose holder has been patented for changing the position of garden hose without wetting the hands.

Wisconsin's new law protecting frogs in their breeding season is believed to be the first of the kind in the world.

To lessen the shocks a new detachable tandem seat for motorcycles is equipped with both horizontal and vertical springs and has a back rest.

The electric furnace is being used in Sweden to refine chromium from ores brought from South Africa and New Caledonia by a secret process.

A ten per cent., solution of tannic acid, followed after it has dried with a ten per cent., solution of sulphate of Iron, will dye tan shoes black.

**Yes—Many People**  
have told us the same story—distress after eating, gases, heartburn. A

**Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet**  
before and after each meal will relieve you. Sold only by us—25c.

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## Bart.

Mr. J. B. Faulkenburg returned from Texas a few days ago.

Mr. Sherman Whittle has sold his farm to Zola McKinley, near Cumberland river.

Mr. T. B. Norfleet has sold out in Wayne Co., and is going to Jamestown, and I suppose he is going to put up a stock of good.

Mr. Elmer Miller has sold a part of his farm for \$20. an acre.

Miss Zilpha Miller has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Zuella Dunbar, near Ono.

Mr. A. T. Miller sold a bunch of hogs to the Tollers Bro.

Mr. Jim Whittle has been visiting his father-in-law at the Russell Springs.

Mr. Ivy Herriford and Ivy Miller have gone to Somerset this week.

Mr. Marcus Stephens is very bad at this writing and the opinion of his friends is, he won't last many days.

Mr. Luke Harmon's little boy fell in a tub of hot water and got badly burned, but is improving at this writing.

Mr. Elmer Miller is in Russell Springs this week.

Mr. Ardell Sullivan is visiting his brother on Pleasant Hill Ridge.

Mr. Fonso Dunbar and his wife have moved to their new home on Caney Fork creek.

Mr. Zola Miller sold a bunch of hogs at a nice price.

## What a Boy Did.

If you are a boy and thinking of taking up the study of scientific farming, even if you have to borrow the money to put you through an agricultural college, just consider what one boy did.

He was only 19, a farm boy just out of the agricultural college. He was \$250 in debt for his education, and he needed money. But instead of taking a good job at certain wages he took a farm—yes, with his two brothers, he took two farms. He proceeded to mix brains and energy with the land. The first year the profits over and above interest, rent and fair wages to themselves was \$1,000. Last year they made ten per cent., on \$17,000 besides all the other charges mentioned.

Then the boys began to plant seed corn of a superior quality—"pedigreed corn" they called it. The neighbors wanted all they could buy at \$2.50 a bushel.

Now over in the next county they have hired Alfred Carlsted to teach the farmers of the county how to grow corn. They are paying him \$1,500 a year for his work and are glad to. He feels that he is doing missionary work for Minnesota as well as earning \$1,500 a year.

## Constipation.

When constive or troubled with constipation take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Pauli Drug Co., Adv.

The merger between the Henry Clay and the Great Southern Fire Insurance Companies has been finally consummated.

James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel Corporation, speaking, predicted better times were near at hand.

**If You Are Nervous**  
and are losing weight, we recommend that you take

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The wheels are made with excessive care. For the spokes the manufacturers use the finest hickory—machine driven to insure the right dish. The hubs are of oak, thoroughly seasoned and banded with double refined sable iron.

The bolsters are of the best white oak. They have an iron plate at top and bottom, riveted through and through—multiplying their strength.

The "Thornhill" has a malleable front hound plate that is braced to the hounds at all points. This is an exclusive "Thornhill" feature. It prevents the

gears from ever getting out of line and causing hard pulling.

"Thornhill" wagons are equipped with long sleeve malleable—non-breakable skeins that insure light running, and outlast any other skein. Each skein is fitted to its axle with a Defiance machine—infallibly accurate. This machine insures the right pitch and tuck, makes light draft a certainty.

The axles are of toughest hickory—the steel axles of the best refined steel.

The sides of "Thornhill" beds are made of poplar. It costs the makers more—but it holds paint better and gives better service.

Come in and see this wagon—sold under a binding guarantee.

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## ROAD PROPOSITION.

The meeting of the Fiscal Court last Friday and Saturday to consider the proposition to build roads in this county, under the provisions of the State road law, drew many of our best citizens to town and showed plainly that our people of the county are almost solid in favor of accepting State aid levying a county road tax to the limit. Friday was spent in ascertaining the will and wishes of the people—many interesting speeches being made, developing every phase of the question. There was only one speech made in open opposition to the movement while another expressed doubt as to the advisability of the undertaking, giving as his opinion that it is too big a proposition for this county to successfully handle. From the many urgent pleas and from the interest manifested by the many in attendance showed an overwhelming sentiment in favor of accepting every dollar from the State Aid Fund that could be received. On Saturday the attendance was fully as good as on Friday, and after a few speeches had been made the court decided the matter by a roll call of the magistrates, the vote standing six to one in favor of accepting State aid and levying a 25 cent road tax—the dissenting vote coming from Squire Bryant. Immediately following this decision various views were expressed as to where and how the first appropriation should be spent, which was decided by the court to use it all on the road that would put up the most money. On Saturday, the 27th of this month, the court will receive the bids from the various roads, and will decide at that time which road will get the improvement. The amount contributed must be made good to the satisfaction of the court and payable on the 1st of July, 1915. To the honor of the court and the credit of the many good citizens who participated in developing this proposition, we feel compelled to say that in no other gathering touching the public welfare have we ever seen as little selfishness or as much real public spirit manifested. The conduct of both court and people indicate that the movement launched will not perish in a few fleeting months, nor lose its power and vigor by disappointed contestants for the first road. To our mine it means more for this county than any other effort

ever made and its good will soon be so manifest that it will silence the few who may oppose it.

Below is the form of note to be used, and has the endorsement of the County Judge and County Attorney. You can secure them in printed form from The News office.

For and in consideration of The Fiscal Court of Adair County using the money derived from its present road levy, together with the aid secured from the State Road Commission, on the Columbia and road I promise and bind myself to pay to said Fiscal Court (\$) dollars on the first day of July 1915. Should said court fail to carry out the above agreement on the road above mentioned then this note is void and to be returned to me as soon as decision is made, otherwise to remain in full force.

This February 1915.

## GARNETT NOT A CANDIDATE.

Frankfort, Ky.,

January, 22, 1915.

Mr. C. S. Harris,  
Editor Adair Co. News,  
Columbia, Ky.

My dear Sir and Friend:

I have your very kind favor of the 19th, asking me to make the race for Governor, with the pledge of the support of your valuable paper and the support of a great section of the State, which places me under a still deeper sense of gratitude to you and my other friends in that section.

I have received many letters from different parts of the State, and some from members of both the opposing political parties, asking me to make this race.

I realize that the Governorship of this proud Commonwealth is an honor any man could covet, and I have given the matter much consideration. Should I make the race it would be necessary for me to neglect the duties of the office I now hold, and the expense of a campaign such as would have to be waged would be far in excess of my financial resources. For these reasons I am persuaded that I should not become a candidate, but that I should devote my entire time to the discharge of the duties assigned to the office of Attorney General, and at the close of my term return to the active practice of my profession.

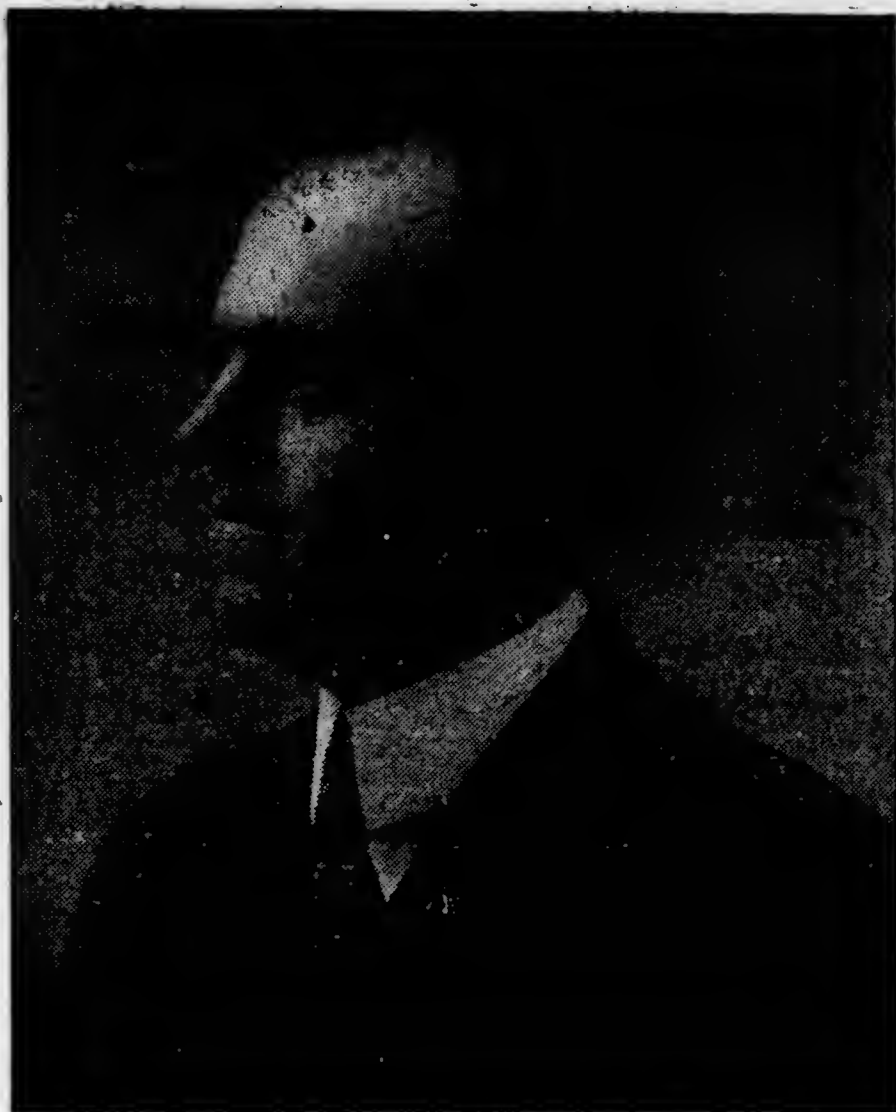
It shall be my pleasure at all times to do what I can in my feeble way for the advancement of our State, and in the future, as in the past, I shall be ready to give my services to the party which has honored me; and it will be a special pleasure for me to serve you and my other friends who have been so loyal and true to me.

With the kindest regards and best wishes, I am,

Yours very truly,

James Garnett,  
Attorney General.

The British official statements admit that their casualties up until now are 104,000 men. An average of almost 600 daily.



## FOR STATE SENATOR!

## Mr. R. B. TRIGG ANNOUNCES.

## TO THE DEMOCRATS OF THE NINETEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Senator in the 19th Senatorial District (Adair, Barren and Metcalfe counties,) in the primary election to be held on the first Saturday in August, 1915.

I come of Democratic stock. My ancestors emigrated to Barren county from Virginia more than a century ago. They have all been Democrats, and even before I was a voter I was an enthusiastic working Democrat. If nominated, I shall stand on the Democratic platform and support Democratic principles.

This district is an agricultural section. Its future prosperity must depend upon the development and improvement of the natural resources of our soil, and upon the permanent improvement of our roads so that the movement of our crops and other products to market may be accomplished with ease and convenience. Good farms, made wholly productive by proper care and cultivation, good roads, good schools and comfortable homes will assure a happy, prosperous and law-abiding citizenship. Bad roads are an unnecessary burden, and an expense. Illiteracy and poor, inefficient schools are a menace to our well-being. If nominated and elected, I shall devote myself faithfully to securing such legislation as will extend the benefits of our free school system to the greatest possible degree, with special reference to agricultural instruction, and will continue and extend the good-roads system already begun, so that we may soon have safe, sure and comfortable thoroughfares instead of the miserable makeshifts we now endure.

The State is in debt two or

three millions of dollars and the deficit is becoming larger every year. Our taxes are already too high on property that is assessed. I believe in such a revision of our tax system as will make property that now escapes taxation bear its fair and just share of the cost of government, and thereby produce sufficient revenue to pay off our large and rapidly increasing State debt, and also provide for better roads, better schools, and improved conditions of agriculture throughout the State without increasing the taxes of those who now bear this already heavy burden.

I pledge my constituents to faithfully guard them against the encroachments of all combinations and trusts inimical to their welfare, and promise to promote your interests in every possible way, to the best of my ability.

Trusting that I may have your generous support, and thanking you for the same, I am,

Sincerely yours,  
R. B. Trigg.

Mr. R. B. Trigg, of Barren county, is announced in the News, this week, a candidate for the State Senate from the counties of Adair, Barren and Metcalfe, subject to the action of the Democratic voters as expressed at the August primary. Mr. Trigg is a native of Barren county, and is a member of one of its most influential families. He is a staunch Democrat and has been a faithful worker for party principles since and before he reached his majority. He was in Frankfort during the session of the last Legislature, and assisted manfully in getting Adair out of the 16th Senatorial district, placing her in the 19th, which is reliably Democratic. Besides being a true Democrat, he is a loyal citizen, one who will make, should he be nominated and elected, a faithful and conscientious Representative.

He asks the Democratic voters of Adair and throughout the district, to give his candidacy due consideration, promising to meet as many of his friends as possible before the primary.

Great Britain has now settled upon the plan of starving Germany out of existence, and thus bring an end to the war. Germany has 600,000 prisoners belonging to the allied forces, and says they will starve first, besides 11,000,000 people in German conquered territory. Can Great Britain afford to imperil the lives of such a helpless multitude, to enforce her threat?

A dispatch from New York says that everything indicates that better times are near at hand. Steel mills throughout the country are beginning to feel the effects of the revival, and many plants are working at full speed. The Carnegie works in Ohio, have opened in full blast, and the Republic Iron and Steel Company have put all its furnaces in the Hanna plant at work. Last week railroads placed orders for 81,000 tons of steel rails. Contracts of 285,000 tons or rails are now pending.

In another column we publish a letter from Attorney General Garnett in which he states his reasons, in a clear and concise manner, declining to enter the contest for the Democratic nomination for Governor. For the last year Mr. Garnett has been regarded as a probable candidate and many of his friends in various parts of the State, and particularly in this section, have solicited him to enter the fight believing he could win in the primary, be elected in November and make a Governor who would unflinchingly do his duty to the great good of the commonwealth. His experience as the State's chief lawyer, his knowledge of the true conditions and tendencies of the times, backed by the courage he possesses, pointed him out as a most valuable man to guide the old ship of state through its present voyage of squaring accounts and plant a smile for every existing frown. Fidelity to duty is one of his reasons for keeping out of the contest, and we who know him best recognize that as one of his chief characteristics—one that has not only tied the entire Democracy to him in this section, but many Republicans as well. We had hoped he would enter the race, win in the primary, triumph in November and prove the mettle of his Democracy in the kind of administration so needful in this day and age, and for which he is so eminently fitted to give. No other Democrat could measure strength with him in this part of the State and it is a matter of regret that he has refused to obey the call of so many loyal friends.

Bel County went on record last Saturday for good roads by voting for a \$250,000 bond issue, the vote standing 3187 for it with only 87 against. That's the way to get roads and that is business.



# BIG MONEY SAVING SALE

A GREAT SUCCESS

## CASEY JONES' STORE

A Busy Place. Greater Crowds expected this, the last week of Sale. More Goods Arriving Every Day.

If you miss this sale you Lose Money. Goods going at less than Manufacturers Cost.

Prices Cut on everything in our house for this Sale.

### BELOW WE QUOTE A FEW MORE SPECIALS:

**Fine Shoes**  
100 pairs Mens Fine Shoes, Tan, Black and Patent Leathers, \$4.00 and \$3.50 Shoes \$2.98  
50 prs. Boys Walk Over and Ben Hur Shoes, \$4.00 \$3.50 & \$3.00 sale price \$2.48  
200 prs. Mens and Boys Work Shoes at 20 per cent. reduction. This is all fresh Factory Stock.  
100 prs. Mens and Boys retail stock shoes, values \$2.50 to \$4.00 \$1.59  
100 prs Mens and Boys Cloth Leggings these are sample goods, not exact make, slight difference in buckles and buttons, values from 60c to \$1.25, clean up price 23c  
48 prs. mens Leather Leggings, values \$2.00 to \$2.50, clean up price 79c  
We still have a few pairs of Womens Overgater and Childrents Leggings clean up price 13 and 15c.  
200 prs Womens and Childrents shoes at greatly reduced prices.

**Clothing**  
Mens and Boys Overcoats at your Prices  
100 Rain Coats for Men, Women and Children, cut down one-half for this sale

25 Mens Suits, regular price \$10.00 and \$12.50, this week for \$8.95  
This is Strictly High Class Clothing from a New York Factory.  
100 Suits for Men, Boys and Children at about one-half regular price  
**Cloaks and Coat Suits**  
100 Ladies Cloaks and Coat Suits \$5.00 to \$10.00 clean up sale this week \$1.98 to \$4.98  
We still have a few Pettycoats \$1.00 values at 58c. 50c values 34c.

**Odd Pants**  
25 prs Mens Odd Pants \$3.00 to \$3.50 values \$2.49  
25 prs Mens Pants, assorted colors \$1.25 values 79c.

50 Assorted pants at bargain prices  
A good line of Overalls and Jumpers  
25 prs Mens Double Front Overalls clean up sale 50c  
25 prs Single Front Bib Overalls 50c  
We carry a big line of the best \$1.00 Overalls on the market

**Mens Shirts**  
All our Factory line of \$1.00 shirts 90c  
50 Blue Chambrey plain and pleated bosom shirts 39c  
25 Boys Shirts 25 and 50c values 15c

**Ladies Waists**  
25 Middy Waists, assorted patterns \$1.00 values 48c  
50 Waists assorted patterns and colors all good styles 39c  
One lot \$3.98 Silk Waists 1.49  
6 Silk Dresses \$6.50 values 3.98

**Dress Goods**  
6 pieces Suting 25c goods 15c  
1 piece Woolen Crepe 50c goods 25c  
6 pieces 10c Outing 83c  
1 piece White Corduroy 25c value 123  
1 piec Pink Corded Voile 50c value 29c

**Big Men Attention**  
6 Extra Size Imported Rain Coats sell everywhere at \$12.50 special clean up price \$6.49

**All Bed Blankets at Cost**  
**Rugs and Druggets.**  
6 9x12 Art Squares \$5. value \$3.85  
6 9x12 Extra Heavy Weight Fiber Druggets \$4.98  
1 11-3x12 Tapestry Brussels \$17.50 values \$13.48  
1 11-3x12 Tapestry Brussels \$20.00 value \$16.00  
Our \$1.75 Axminster Rugs cut to 1.49  
" \$3.50 " " " 2.85  
" \$1.25 Velvet Rugs, cut to 1.09  
Don't forget we can save you money on Buggy Harness.

We have a big supply of Scoop Shovels, Long Handle Shovels, Ditching Spades, Garden Hoes, Rakes, Manure Forks, Post Hole Diggers, also about 1500 prs of Door and Gate Hinges due to arrive the first of the week, at less than wholesale price.

**Cutlery**  
50 prs steel, nickle plated Shears assorted sizes and patterns, values up to 75c. choice 23c  
25 prs nickle plated Gold mounted Shears, \$1.00 values 39c  
We still have a fair supply of Pocket Knives at one-third regular price  
Just received 250 more pieces of Table Cutlery, values equal to last weeks specials, at money saving prices.

**Alarms Clocks**  
50 Assorted brands and styles Alarm Clocks, prices \$1.00 to \$1.50 57c  
25 sticks Williams Shaving Soap in Nickle plated boxes, 25c sellers 11c  
A lot of Tennis Racket Cases and Gun Cases, bargains at 25c  
One only, genuine Leather Gun Case, a bargain at \$2.98

**Base Ball Goods**  
A lot of Base Balls, Bats and Mitts at bargain prices.

#### Announcements.

##### FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce F. A. Strange a candidate for circuit clerk of Adair county, subject to the Democratic primary to be held in August.

##### FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.

Judge J. C. Carter, of Monroe county, authorizes us to announce his candidacy for re-election to the office of Circuit Judge in this the Twenty-ninth district, subject to the action of the Republican voters, as expressed at the polls at the coming August primary.

##### FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce A. A. Huddleston, of Cumberland county, a candidate for re-election to the office of Commonwealth's Attorney in this the Twenty-ninth district, subject to the action of the Republican voters in said district, as expressed at the primary to be held the first Saturday in August, 1915.

##### FOR THE STATE SENATE.

We are authorized to announce D. E. Hatcher, of Barren county, a candidate for the State Senate, subject to the Democratic voters at the August primary. The district is composed of the counties of Barren, Metcalfe and Adair.

We are authorized to announce R. B. Trigg, of Barren county, a candidate for the State Senate from the 19th district, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the August primary. The district is composed of Adair, Barren and Metcalfe.

#### Russell County Announcement.

##### FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce J. R. McFarland a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Russell county, subject to the action of the Republican voters of said county, as expressed at the August primary.

#### Personals.

Mr. T. C. Faulkner, this place, the well-known surveyor, is again ready for business. Three months ago his shoe on his right foot, hurt his great toe and blood poison set up, keeping him confined to his room until last week.

Mr. T. R. Stults, who is in business at Lancaster, and Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Stults, Knoxville, Tenn. arrived last Thursday afternoon. Called here on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Rollin Browning.

Mr. Jo Lennard, of Albany, Traveling salesman, was here last Thursday.

Mrs. Talmage Smith, of Indianapolis, Ind. daughter of Mr. W. T. McFarland, this place, whose serious illness was reported in last week's News is now better and her doctor writes that she is in a fair way to recover.

Mr. W. H. Rouse, representing D. H. Baldwin & Co., Louisville, was here a few days of last week.

Miss May Bryant and Mr. Iva Bryant Sano, were here Friday, en route to Mahomet, Ill., on a visit.

Mr. Chesley Leach, who visited in Adair and Russell, was here Friday, en route to his home, Custer, Ill.,

Mr. O. C. Pace, Lebanon was here a few days ago.

Milton, a little son of Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Murrell, who has been quite sick for two weeks, is reported better.

Mr. Ira Branhams, who has been in the regular service for four years, was discharged in Texas, on the 8th of this month. He arrived here last Wednesday afternoon, en route to his home, Breeding.

Mrs. T. J. Lawhorn, Burkesville, was here a few days ago, en route to Campbellsville, having received word that her daughter, Mrs. B. H. Gilpin, was quite sick.

Mr. Cecil Ramsey, Monticello, spent several days of last week in Columbia.

Judge T. A. Murrell, Lebanon, was here two days of last week.

Mr. Matt Engleman Campbellsville called to see our hardware merchants last week.

Messrs. Berry and James Buster, of Creelsboro, were here a day or two of last week, stopping at the home of Mr. W. H. Wilson.

Mr. Wm. Irvine, who visited at Russell Springs and Creelsboro six weeks, returned home last Friday.

Supt. Huffaker is attending the Superintendent's Conference in Louisville this week.

Mrs. R. L. Bunnell, of Louisville, who visited her sister, Mrs. J. N. Murrell, has returned home.

Mr. W. H. Gill, of the firm of Gill & Waggener, was in the Louisville market last week.

Mr. W. A. Coffey has returned from a business trip to Louisville.

Mr. Hugh Richardson, of Campbellsville, was in Columbia Monday and Tuesday shaking hands with his many friends.

## Cumberland River Route

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## Great Reduction Sale!

WE WILL OFFER FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS OUR entire stock of Shoes, Shirts, Hats, Caps, Lace and Ribbons at 30 per cent. discount. Our full line of Enameld Tinware at 20 per cent. discount. Arbuckle Coffee, 20 cents. Stock of Poultry food at 20 per cent. discount. Regular 25c Calumet Baking Powder, 20 cents. Regular Calumet 15c. size, 10c.

## Garrison Bros.



## From Missouri.

Carrollton, Jan. 30th, 1915.  
Editor News:

If you will allow me a little space I will try to give you a news from old Missouri. We are having real cold, bad winter. The ground has been covered with snow, with the exception of 3 or 4 days, since the 12th of December. We have about a 2 inch snow now with 14 below zero in Carrollton last Monday, but it is not so cold now but it looks like we would have a slick time, for it is raining and freezing and don't look a bit good to me. Stock of all description is looking well. Most of the people seem to be enjoying good health. The country was full of what the doctors called small pox and there are a few cases in this neighborhood yet, but it don't amount to anything. I understand that some of the Shirley boys took it from here back to Adair county, but you people back there don't want to be alarmed for I tell you it don't amount to anything for there has been 100 or more cases in my knowing around here. It didn't hurt anybody except a few that had a doctor. They got pretty sick. Four of my boys had it but it didn't make them sick only about 48 hours, then they would go to work. So, if it is smallpox, I would advise all of you to try to get it, while it is so small that it don't kill, for there is a kind that kills.

Say, you people back there sure did the right thing when you elected Rollin Hurt and Beckham. You have the right men in the right place. Now, if you will just remember Mr. Strange and Mr. Ottley in the next county race, as they both proved themselves to be the choice of the Democrats of Adair county. Won the nomination over two good men and was then defeated by men of the Democratic party so, I think they are just as much entitled to the places occupied by your present judge and school Superintendent as was Mr. Beckham to the place occupied by Senator Bradley. Wishing you all prosperity for the next twelve months, I will ring off.

Respectfully,  
J. T. Taylor.

#### The Liver Regulate the Body A Sluggish Liver Needs Care.

Someone has said that people with Chronic Liver Complaint should be shut up away from humanity, for they are pessimists and see through a glass darkly." Why? Because mental states depends upon physical states. Biliousness, Headaches, Dizziness and Constipation disappear after using Dr. King's New Life Pills. 25c at Paull Drug Co. Ad.

The primary will soon become interesting. Subscribe for this paper.

#### Do Not Grip

We have a pleasant laxative that will do just what you want it to do.

**Rexall Orderlies**

We sell thousands of them and we have never seen a better remedy for the bowels. Sold only by us, 10 cents. Paull Drug Co.

## Absber.

Casey Creek was past fording several days of last week.

Mr. R. B. White, of Neatsburg, was the guest of W. P. Dillingham Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Arva Cave, who has been at Campbellsville for some time, is at home now.

Mr. E. S. Rice left last Tuesday for Louisville.

Mr. Winfrey Beard is home from the L. W. T. S., last week.

Mr. Ose Dillingham is visiting relatives at Neatsburg.

Messrs. L. G. Weatherford and Tom Ellis were in Campbellsville one day last week.

Mr. W. H. Cave fell the other day and sprained his ankle very bad.

Messrs. H. B. Robertson and W. P. Dillingham visited relatives at Roley and Casey county, a few days ago.

Mr. Ruel Cabell begun a singing school at Egypt, Tuesday night.

Mr. Milliard Young was at his home from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. Ingram Robertson bought a sow and pigs of Johnny Pike for \$15.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ellis and daughter, of Tallula, Ill., are visiting relatives at this place.

Mr. E. A. Cooley and Miss Rebecca Brockman were quietly married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. L. G. Weatherford, Sunday, Jan. 31, Rev. John Rice officiating. The neighborhood extends a hearty congratulation to the deserving young couple.

Miss Vinnie Weatherford spent Saturday night at Garl Weatherford.

Mr. Willie Moore is visiting his sister, Mrs. Marvin Loy, of near Gadberry.

#### Stop That Cough-- Now.

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The first Baptist church at Mayfield passed a resolution to "church" persons for dancing, card-playing for prizes and drinking.

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## Cole Camp.

Several from here are attending court at Burkesville this week.

Messrs. Talmage Sparks and J. F. Ellington spent Saturday night with Mr. J. F. Irvin.

L. P. Fletcher and M. L. Norris, spent the week end with J. M. Fletcher.

Miss Ioma Hurt is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Mattie Cole.

Miss Lealer Baker, who has been sick for several weeks, is improving.

Mrs. C. D. Holland and children spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Bettie Cole.

Misses Mary Ruth Winfrey and Willa Parrish visited Miss Bettie Jane Irvin, Saturday night.

Mesdames Susie and Minnie Baker and Annie Young, Misses Ella Baker and Hettie Young visited Mrs. G. M. Dillon, Tuesday.

Miss Mary Fletcher spent last Saturday night with Miss Ruth Thomas.

Several hog buyers were in this neighborhood last week.

Mrs. L. B. Baker spent last Saturday night with Mr. Alexander Dillon.

Mr. Jesse Fletcher, who has been confined to his room for several weeks with a rising in his head, is slowly improving.

Miss Ruth Thomas is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Nettie Keen.

The pound supper at Mr. Daniel Claywell's last Saturday, was largely attended, and a nice time reported.

Mrs. Nannie Cole is able to be up, and we hope to see her out soon.

## Neatsburg.

Mr. Riley Light, who has been on the sick list for some time, is no better at this writing.

Rev J. V. Daniel, of Casey Co., will fill his regular appointment at Tabernacle Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Wallace Beard, who is in the revenue business, is visiting at home.

Rollin Caldwell and Booker Leftridge were at this place last week.

Mr. I. C. Breeding bought of J. O. White, a fine bunch of hogs.

The majority of tax-payers of this community are in favor of good roads.

Mr. R. L. Neat, who has been quite sick, is no better.

Mr. Lee Wesley, of Yosemite, is visiting his son, P. P. Wesley, of Eunice.

Mr. I. C. Breeding and wife have been visiting at Milltown.

Mr. Sam Hatfield left for Campbellsville a few days ago to run a spoke machine for Mr. J. A. Russell.

The farmers of this community say their wheat crop is not looking so well on account of so much cold weather.

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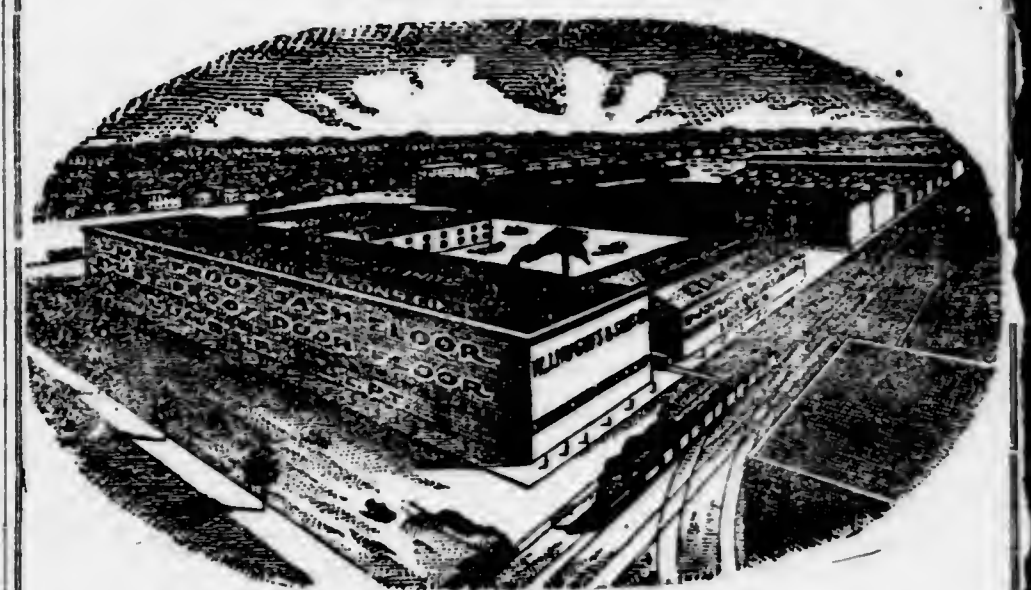
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## WAR CONGRESS OF NEUTRAL NATIONS

Venezuela Suggests Worldwide Conference in Washington.

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Minister of Foreign Affairs Andrade is Father of Idea Placed Before Pan-American Union's Commission Appointed Recently by All American Republics Excepting Mexico.

The government of Venezuela has formally proposed a great international conference in Washington to consider and revise the rules of international law regarding the rights of neutral nations in time of war. The Venezuelan proposal is one of the biggest and broadest that has come out of the feeling among neutral nations generally that the war in Europe points the need for a definite determination of neutral rights as affected by the operation of belligerent nations and their cruisers in a struggle like that now being fought in Europe.

This proposal was submitted by Venezuela, through its minister in Washington, Dr. Santos A. Dominici, to the governing board of the Pan-American union. The governing board will refer the proposal to the special commission recently created upon motion of Dr. Romulo S. Naon, the ambassador from Argentina, who acted on instructions from his government.

What makes the Venezuelan project exceedingly important and far-reaching is the fact that it does not limit the suggestion for such an international conference to the twenty-one nations of North, South and Central America which have membership in the Pan-American union. The Venezuelan idea contemplates that the Washington conference shall embrace representatives from every one of the neutral nations, that all the neutral nations be invited to participate in the deliberations and that the work of the Washington conference be submitted to a congress of all the nations, including not only those which are neutral, but also those which are belligerents.

#### General Andrade Author of Idea.

The author of the suggestion for this great conference of neutrals is General Ignacio Andrade, who is now the minister of foreign affairs of Venezuela, who submitted the proposal on behalf of his government after conferring at Caracas with the leading statesmen of that country.

General Andrade was president of Venezuela twelve years ago and is a brother of Don Jose Andrade, who for some years was minister plenipotentiary and envoy extraordinary from Venezuela in Washington.

The written proposal of the Venezuelan government is not to be made public until after it has been submitted to the special commission of the Pan-American union, which was appointed several weeks ago by unanimous vote of every American republic except Mexico with instructions to consider problems growing out of the war as affecting neutrals and to report recommendations to the governing board of the Pan-American union.

#### Define Neutral Rights.

The proposal points out that neutral nations appear to be anxious to have their rights, as well as the new problems affecting those rights, revised and definitely defined.

Dr. Dominici, the Venezuelan minister here, has been informally consulting with the members of the diplomatic corps from all neutral nations represented in Washington and with those of neutral European and Asiatic nations and acquainting them with the details of the Andrade idea for the proposed conference. As a result of these informal conversations, diplomats representing the different European and other neutral nations have been consulting their governments and informing them of the plan.

Although diplomats representing neutrals have only been discussing the matter informally and can take no steps to bind their governments without instructions from their foreign offices, the Venezuelan idea appears to have been received favorably.

It is not the purpose of the Venezuelan government to seek to lay down new rules of international law or a neutral made code that would be binding upon belligerents who were not represented in the conference. The idea is that the neutrals shall first hold their great conference in Washington and consider all the problems growing out of the war that affect them. The idea then is to reach an agreement along definite lines as to what should be done to clearly define the rights of neutrals. After this has been done and after the war in Europe is over, the work of the Washington conference would be placed before a congress of nations, and in this second congress the neutral

code of international law, representing the digested thought and combined wisdom of all the neutrals, would be submitted to the judgment of all nations—neutral as well as belligerent.

#### Had Right Leg Broken Seven Times.

Running on slippery streets to catch a trolley car, William H. Harmer, forty-eight years old, a salesman for a Chestnut street store in Philadelphia, fell and broke his right leg. This is the seventh time in fourteen years that Harmer has broken his right leg.

#### Carrier Pigeons.

Pigeons were employed in early Egyptian days, navigators taking them on their galleys and liberating them when they arrived at their destination in order to announce their safe arrival to their friends. The Romans utilized them in communicating with each other in wartime.

#### Revenge.

"Will you marry me, Miss Gussie?" "No, Mr. Jinks." "Oh, thank you! I was so afraid you'd say yes, for, you see, the fellows were betting no fellow had the nerve to ask you, and I took it up in spite of the risk."—Baltimore American.

#### Domestic Discord.

"My husband used to call me his lovely lute." "And now?" "Now he picks on me."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Where Truth deigns to come her sister, Liberty, will not be far.—Aken-side.

#### Poor Egg!

"Here's a Swiss named Egg who lives in New York petitioning to have his name changed."

"Sort of an egg shake, eh! What's the trouble?"

"He and his family have four children, and his family is constantly referred to as 'the half dozen Eggs.' He claims his yolk is too heavy to be borne."

"Why doesn't he lay for his tormentors?"

"It appears that he did once and got beaten, whipped to a froth. Poor Egg could barely scramble home."—Boston Transcript.

#### Holland's Queen Subscribes Million.

Queen Wilhelmina, in signing a bill for a war loan of 275,000,000 florins (\$110,000,000), informed the finance minister that she would personally underwrite 2,500,000 florins (\$1,000,000) of the amount.

### Notes by the Way.

Ninety-five per cent of the steel pens manufactured in the United States are made at Camden, N. J.

What is claimed to be an unbreakable telephone receiver has a steel skeleton within the rubber covering.

The same steam engine has been pumping water out of a coal mine in England for more than 100 years.

Successful experiments of Honduras indicate that cotton may become an important production of that country.

Aluminum foil for wrapping purposes is being that is only one sixth of one hundredth of an inch thick.

A mixture of slaked lime, linseed oil and cotton fiber is used in some portions of Turkey as a substitute for cement.

All field guns hereafter built for the United States army will be so mounted that they can be used against aeroplanes.

A fork carried above an aeroplane has been invented by a French aviator to enable a machine to alight by clutching a cable.

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## LATEST WAR NEWS.

A battle which the Russian War Office describes as without precedent in history has occurred in Galicia in the course of the campaign for mastery of the mountain region which screens Northern Hungary from Russia. In a single day the German troops charged twenty-two times on a Russian position. They make their charges up a hill in the face of artillery fire. Twice they gained possession of the heights, but according to the Russian statement they were finally driven out with bayonets. The German losses are described as "excessively heavy." There is no information on this phase of the situation from German or Austrian sources.

In the recent attack of the Germans on the Warsaw front, the Russian statement says, their losses amounted to "tens of thousands."

Another Russian victory is said to have been gained in Poland where the Germans attacked the Russian forces. The Petrograd War Office asserts that the Germans were driven back and that one of their battalions was almost annihilated.

The official statements of to-day from Berlin and Paris say that there was no important fighting yesterday in France.

The battle of the Carpathians, which is to decide whether the Russians will be able to force a way over the mountains and invade Hungary or will be driven back to the northward, apparently is as far from a decision as at any time since the Austrians, with their German re-enforcements, launched the attack. Each of the opposing armies has won minor victories, but neither has been able to gain sufficient headway to place the other definitely on the defensive.

The correspondent of a Berlin newspaper states that no speedy successes must be expected, as movements are slow on account of the heavy snow and the most that can be looked for by Germany is the forcing back of the Russian step by step.

Although the Russian forces along the Warsaw front have undertaken an attack, they apparently have been no more successful than were the Germans in their last onslaught. So far as has been reported there is no important shifting of positions. In Northern Poland another important battle is under way, with the issue still undecided.

The Russian Duma adopted a resolution expressing the purpose of carrying on the war until the peace of Europe was assured on terms satisfactory to Russia.

It is reported from Geneva that another Zeppelin has been lost. It is said to have been wrecked in a storm in a flight over the North Sea.

Another instance of the use of the American flag by a British steamer was reported to-day by passengers on the Cunarder Orduna, which arrived at New York from Liverpool. The Orduna is said to have flown the American flag for nearly twenty-four hours while crossing the Irish Sea.

## Both Britons and Germans Notified That They Must Show Full Respect to the Stars and Stripes,

Washington, Feb. 11.—The United States has warned Great Britain and Germany respectively, that general use of the American flag by British vessels would be viewed with grave concern here, and that the destruction by Germany of any American vessel in the newly prescribed war zone would lead to serious complications.

It became known today that the text of the two notes sent last night to Great Britain and Germany expressed much more emphatically than had been generally known the displeasure of the United States at the use of neutral flags by British merchantmen and its solicitude over the implication that neutral vessels were liable to destruction by German submarines in the waters around Great Britain and Ireland.

### FRIENDLY BUT POINTED.

In the document which has been transmitted to Ambassador Gerard at Berlin for presentation to the German Foreign Office, there is a friendly but pointed statement that American vessels should have free and unrestricted passage through the high seas and unblockaded waters, and that destruction of an American vessel might lead to a change in the hitherto friendly relations which have existed between the United States and Germany.

While in the note to Great Britain the representations made are not based on the Lusitania incident but on the statement of the British Foreign Office justifying the use of neutral flags by its vessels, the United States has stated unequivocally, it is understood, that a continuance of the practice would be highly dangerous to neutral vessels and would be viewed with the deepest anxiety here.

The texts of the two documents are expected to be published by the State Department. Among diplomatists here the fact that the United States has taken a pronounced stand created a profound impression.

### Gradyville.

We have no complaint about the weather this week.

Quite a number of plant beds were burned in this community last week.

Mr. H. A. Moss, of Greensburg, called in to see us one morning last week, while en route to Cumberland county, looking after the business.

Rev. W. C. Christie filled his regular appointment here last Sunday with a very interesting sermon.

Mr. W. B. Hill will leave in a few days for his western trip for Pratts Stock Food. We are glad to note that he has recovered from his severe spell of sickness and is now in his usual health.

Mr. Uriah Keltner, of Keltner, made a trip through here the first of the week, looking after tobacco, paying the market price.

Mr. Sam Mitchell, of Columbia, was in our midst one day the first of the week.

Mrs. Sallie Dowell, of Liletown, is visiting her son and family, Mr. Thos. Dowell, at this place this week.

Mr. Jo Hunter has been on the sick list for the past week with lagrippe.

We are glad to note that Mrs. Thos. Dowell, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, is improving at this time.

Mr. W. P. Flowers closed a deal last week with Warren Sexton, buying a very desirable building lot in one of the most desirable locations in our town.

Mrs. Rena Gist, who has been confined to her room for several weeks with fever, is improving at this time.

Mr. Joel Rodgers, our mill man, visited his family at Roachville, last Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs. James and Austin Gilpin, Tolbert Coomer and William Brummett, of Sparksville section, were in our midst last Friday. They report business fairly good in their community.

Mr. Cordie Wilson made a trip to Louisville, last week, with quite a lot of furs, of different kinds that he had purchased in this section. We have not learned since his return, how the market was.

There were ten or twelve loads of tobacco passed through here the first of the week from Breeding en route for the loose leaf market at Greensburg. On their return, we learned through Mr. Fred Simpson that the market was good and they were all pleased with the prices for their tobacco.

While in conversation with Mr. Strong Hill a few days ago, in regard to his saw and grist mill business in this section of the county, he informed us that the one he had located in the Dean woods had been almost demolished. His loss is heavy.

Mr. Frank Dulin was on the sick list several days of last week.

The milling business here is increasing from the appearance of the many loaded wagons we see daily on the mill yard. We understand that our farmers are receiving for their wheat at this mill, \$1.25, per bu. We are sorry that we haven't a large supply of wheat through this section. At threshing time, corn was very high and scarce, and some of our largest wheat growers fed quite a lot of wheat, others disposed of it at the market price at that time. So you can readily see, that our wheat supply at the present is limited. If we had known these high prices were coming, we would have been ready with the goods.

### HEALTH OFFICER'S COLUMN.

BY U. L. TAYLOR.

Our across the river neighbor, Indiana, has a board of health like unto ours, and that board has a secretary like all health boards do, and Indiana's board has a secretary that is very fine. He is a great sanitarian, and I have the pleasure of knowing him personally. He belongs to the front rank, and he is always found there, and always ready to do something for the betterment of the health of his people. His name is J. N. Hurty. I have been particular in speaking about him, because I will perhaps in my remarks occasionally quote from this great man. In an article borrowed from him, I will give you "The young mother and the fat hog." Not a fable.

One time a little mother, who was only twenty-five years old, began to feel tired all the time. Her appetite had failed her for weeks before the tired feeling came. Her three little girls, once a joy in her life, now became a burden to her. It was, "Mamma, mamma," all day long. She had never noticed these appeals until the tired feeling came. The little mother had red spots on her cheeks and slight dry cough. One day when dragging herself around, forcing her weary body to work, she felt a sharp but slight pain in her chest, her head grew dizzy, and suddenly her mouth filled with blood. The hemorrhage was not severe, but it left her very weak. The doctor she had consulted for her cough and tired feeling, had said: "You are all run down, you need a tonic." For a fee he prescribed bitters made of alcohol, water and gentian. This gave her false strength for a while for it checked out her little reserve. When the hemorrhage occurred she and all her neighbors knew she had consumption and the doctor should have known it and told her months before. Now she wrote to the State Board of Health and said: "I am told that consumption in its early stages can be cured by out door life, continued rest and plenty of plain good food. I do not want to die. I want to live and my children to make them good men. Where can I go to get well?" The great Christian State of Indiana has not yet risen to the mighty econ-

omy from consumption. At present, the only place where you can go is a grave. However, the State will care for your children in an orphan asylum after you are dead, and then, in a few years a special officer will find a home for them. But save your life—never. That is a cranky idea. It is not business, the State can't afford it. So the little mother died of the preventable and curable disease, the home was broken up and the children were taken to the orphan asylum. A big, fat hog found one morning that he had a pain in his belly. He squealed loudly and the farmer came out of the house to see what was the matter. "He's got the hog cholera," said the hired man. So the farmer telegraphed to Secretary Wilson of the United States Agricultural Department, and the reply was, "Certainly, I will send you a man right away. Sure enough the man came. He said that he was a D. V. S., and he was too. He had a government syringe and a bottle of government medicine in his hand bag, and he went for the hog. It got well. It was not cranky for the government to do this, and it could afford the expense, for the hog could be turned into ham, sausage, lard and bacon. Any body even a fool can see it would be cranky for the State to save the life of a little mother, and it could not afford it either.

Moral:—Be a hog and be worth saving.

Up to a few years ago, our government paid out \$40,000,000 for scab on sheep, ticks on cattle, and cholera in hogs, while it had paid nothing at all for the benefit of the people, men, women and children. Our Savior while on earth denounced the Pharisees for similar things. See Matt. 23 chapter and 23 verse. Wo unto you scribes, pharisees, hypocrites, for ye tithe the mint and anise and cummin, and have left undone the weightier matters of the law, judgment and mercy and faith: but these ye ought to have done, but not left the others undone. He told them they ought to have paid tithes on the little things, but not left the weightier matter or the law. Our government paid not tithes, but millions of dollars for the benefit of cattle, sheep and hogs, which was right, but it ought not to have left uncared for the more important parts of our country, men, women and children. But in the last few years the government has got a move on it, and has sent a man away out to the Rocky mountains to investigate the Rocky mountain tick, suspected to be the cause of the Rocky Mountain spotted fever. In the very midst of his labors he was bitten by one of the ticks, took the fever and died. Another man was sent to Mexico, to look after the capers of the body louse, said to be the cause of typhus fever. During the investigation a louse bit him, and he went the way of all the earth. Several expert rat catchers were dispatched to New Orleans to make a round up in that ancient city. They are still at it at this writing. Why spend thirty or forty thousand dollars to kill one man when the expenditure of two or three would perhaps save his life? The war office of Great Britain states from its statistics of the Boer war that it costs \$40,000 to kill one man. The statistics of Col Gorgas, now surgeon general of the United States army, who was in the Panama Canal Zone, shows that it cost \$2.43 per capita of population to save one human life from the deadly conditions which formerly existed there. These facts raise the question why do we so willingly tax ourselves hundreds of millions for killing men and so grudgingly appropriate a few paltry thousands for saving men? What has intelligence and morals to do with such action?

Mr. H. C. Austin has been appointed postmaster at Decatur, Russell county.

Mrs. Pearl Holt, died last Thursday morning at 4 o'clock, near Purdy. She was 23 years old. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Harmon. She was buried at Bearwallow, Rev. J. D. Burton conducting the services. She leaves her husband, one child, father mother and several brothers and sisters.

Mr. W. E. McCandless has been a great sufferer for the past ten days, having a very sore arm. Several months ago he got it cut on glass, the wound soon curing. It recently commenced to pain him, and last week he was absent from his store several days on account of his affliction. Many friends hope that he will come around all right in a short time.